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Suspect Held In Shooting of Agnew Guard

DORADO, Puerto Rico, Nov. 18 (AP)—A 19-year-old youth has been taken into custody in connection with the shooting of a Puerto Rican detective assigned to the security guard here of Vice President-elect Spiro T. Agnew, police reported today.

The youth, not immediately identified was undergoing questioning.

Agent Victor M. Caratini was shot twice in the stomach after he surprised a man trying to steal a car near the golf course of the Dorado Beach Hotel. Agnew was vacationing in a home nearby.

Police said the man grabbed Caratini's gun and shot him. Caratini was reported in satisfactory condition at the Rio Piedras Medical Center.

Agnew was in the Virgin Islands at the time of the shooting, and police said the incident was in no way related to Agnew's visit here.

The Maryland Governor and his family returned to Annapolis today.